

WEATHER INDICATIONS.
For Newark and vicinity: Clearing
and colder tonight; Friday fair.

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THE NEWARK ADVOCATE.

NEWARK, OHIO, THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 21, 1905.

ONLY TWO MORE SHOPPING
DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS.

TEN CENTS A WEEK.

INDESCRIBABLE PANIC IS CREATED AMONG RUSSIAN PEOPLE GENERALLY

Attitude of Army in St. Petersburg is
Far From Reassuring at
Present Time

INSURGENTS NUMBER FIVE MILLION MEN

Tukum Is Retaken After Battle Lasting Five Hours With
Heavy Losses on Both Sides—Martial Law is
Declared at Moscow Thursday.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 21—(Noon)—This brings the total number of insurgents up to 5,000,000. The pan-Russian strike, called for today, is beginning with great rapidity. The workingmen are showing themselves subject to wonderful discipline in quitting their positions at the call of the strike leaders. An indescribable panic has been created among the people generally, and every one is full of foreboding that this is the opening of the last act of the great national tragedy, which will result either in a victory for the revolutionists, or in the re-establishment of the reactionary power in full control. In either event the financial ruin of the country seems imminent.

The attitude of the army in St. Petersburg is far from reassuring. Many soldiers have been arrested while addressing the people in the streets and promising that they will not fire on the populace.

The markets of the city are thronged. Prices are rising rapidly.

Advices received from Lithuania state that a military train, loaded with sappers, was wrecked 70 miles from Riga. The revolutionists tore up the tracks, derailing the train. Two of the cars were wrecked, killing five men and wounding 20 others.

The situation in the Baltic provinces continues unchanged. The revolutionists continue absolute masters of affairs in almost every section of the country. The revolution moreover is growing steadily and it is estimated that 5,000,000 persons throughout the Baltic territory are either in a state of active revolt or are ready to join the revolutionary movement. The government is afraid to take troops away from St. Petersburg to send to the dissatisfied regions and is awaiting the arrival of the 17th army corps, which is now en route to St. Petersburg, before dispatching reinforcements to the garrisons in the Baltic provinces.

The revolution is spreading with startling rapidity. In addition to the 1,500,000 Letts already in revolt, 2,500,000 Lithuanians and a million of Esthonians, who inhabit the northern part of the Baltic regions, have decided to join the revolutionists.

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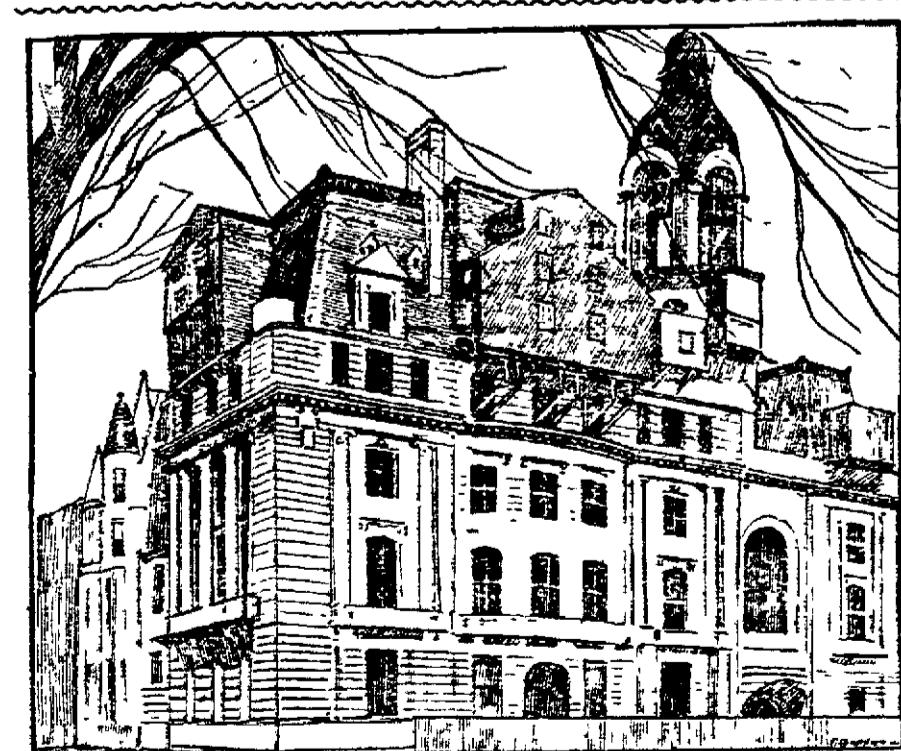
And Declared He Was Out of the
Ring for Good—O'Brien Is
Ambitious.

San Francisco, Dec. 21—After the fight last night Fitzsimmons wept in his dressing room and announced he was out of the ring for good. He declared it not likely he would ever put on the gloves again unless for exhibition purposes.

O'Brien said: "Now I am going after the middle and heavy weight championships. First I want Tommy Ryan at 158 and then Hart or any one else in his line."

Had No Faith in Banks.
Meadville, Pa., Dec. 21—John Miller, an employee of the Erie railroad car shops here, has no faith in banks, and kept his savings in a bureau drawer which his wife guarded. Mrs. Miller was absent from home fifteen minutes last evening and the cigar box containing \$730 disappeared.

Congress Has Adjourned.
Washington, Dec. 21—Both the House and the Senate adjourned this afternoon after a brief session for the holiday recess. Congress meets again January 4.



SENATOR CLARK'S BIG NEW YORK RESIDENCE.

The new residence of the senior senator from Montana on 55th avenue, New York, is one of the most costly dwellings in America, but it does not rank high. It is an example of fine architecture. The interior, however, is admitted by the most critical to be very beautiful, and no other house in Gotham is so lavishly decorated.

ANOTHER MILLION DOLLAR CLARK BABY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21—Another million dollar baby has been born. The little one is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Clark, who are at San Marco. As soon as the birth of the child was announced Senator W. A. Clark of Montana, the grandfather, announced that he would settle \$1,000,000 dollars upon her. This is the second demonstration of his now famous custom.

Appeal of Land Owners.
Saratoga, Russia, Dec. 21—Eight hundred land owners of this vicinity have telegraphed to Premier Witte appealing for the immediate convocation of the national assembly in order to satisfy the land hunger of the peasants as the only hope of ending the agrarian uprising. The landowners also demanded additional troops to prevent the sacking of the remainder of the estates in the Volga region.

Taggart Decision Postponed.
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Robbers Get \$2500.
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LIVE NEWS OF BUCKEYE STATE

ONE ARMED MAN SHOT DEAD AT
DAYTON, O., WAS A
KENTUCKIAN.

Wooster Coroner's Verdict—Boy of
9 Years Intoxicated—Man's
Fatal Mistake.

Dayton, O., Dec. 21.—George Phister, the one-armed man shot to death in barn Monday night by farmers, resided with his wife and two-year-old child at Dayton, Ky. It is said that he lost his arm in a shop while a prisoner in Jeffersonville, Ind. His wife, who came here and claimed the body, says she knew nothing about her husband's avocation other than his representation that he traveled for a business house.

Coroner Sullivan's Verdict.

Wooster, O., Dec. 21.—Dr. Hugh Sullivan, coroner of Wayne county, states that his verdict in the West Salem baby farm case, which he expects to file Friday, will charge Mrs. Morehouse with being the party who caused the death of the baby. The document which he said he would file is a very lengthy one, and will doubtless connect other parties with the affair.

Two Women Struck By Train.

Hamilton, O., Dec. 21.—Jennie Holland, 15, is dead, and Mrs. John Pultz, wife of the cashier of the College Corner National bank, is dying as a result of an accident at Cottage Grove, Ind. While waiting for a train they stood on the track and were struck from the rear by a locomotive.

Boys Were Intoxicated.

Bellafair, O., Dec. 21.—Willie Dugity, 9, was found in a pool of water along the railroad tracks here. The lad had secured some whisky and, drinking it, became intoxicated, fell into a pool of water and was drowned. The authorities will prosecute the person who sold him the liquor.

Suit Settled.

Lisbon, O., Dec. 21.—In a settlement of her \$2500 suit here Miss Anna M. Gilmore, a Steubenville schoolteacher, received \$3,000 from the United Power company of East Liverpool, for injuries received in trying to board one of the company's streetcars.

Freight Agent.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 21.—George B. Spriggs, general freight agent of the New York, Chicago & St. Louis railroad for the last 23 years, died here from a complication of diseases. He was 71 years old, and had been in the railroad business since he was 18.

Eric Engineer Killed.

Kent, O., Dec. 21.—Frank Wellings, 47, an Erie freight engineer, was cut to pieces by a train in the yards here. His home was in Galion. He leaves a wife and three children.

Fatal Mistake.

Dayton, O., Dec. 21.—Arsenic, instead of salts, unsuspectingly taken by John Rudolph, a carpenter, caused his death at his home here.

Daughter of Henry Watterson.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 21—Miss Ethel Watterson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watterson, was married at Mansfield. Mr. Watterson's country seat, to Alexander Gilmore, a Louisville business man. Dr. E. L. Powell of the Church of the Disciples performed the ceremony. The young couple went east for their honeymoon. It was the fortieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Watterson.

Guilbert is Better.

Columbus, O., Dec. 21.—Auditor of State Guilbert, who has been confined to his home since last Friday, is much better. He caught a bad cold while inspecting a site for the proposed tuberculosis hospital, and his physician says that he has a touch of bronchial pneumonia.

M. V. Decker's Denial.

Utica, O., Dec. 21.—M. V. Decker, one of the men fined by Mayor Brieger a few days ago in connection with the liquor cases tried last week, says that a detective swore that he (Decker) had sold him a bottle of Duffy's malt on two occasions. Mr. Decker made oath denying each charge. The case, with the others as already announced, has been appealed.

He Didn't "Sting" Morgan.

Cincinnati, Dec. 21.—Eugene Zimmerman, former owner of the C. H. & D., when interviewed today, said: "I sold the C. H. & D. and got my money for it. I have nothing to say regarding the deal. There is no truth in the report that I stung Morgan in the sale of the road. I have no intention of conferring with Judge Harmon, the receiver."

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Harged For Assault.

Wilming, N. C., Dec. 21.—W. H. Carter, a Negro, was arrested at Kenansville, N. C., for assault. The Negro is accused of assaulting a white woman, Mrs. Anna E. Wood, in the course of a quarrel.

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GRANT EARL MOUSER.

Congressman from Ohio.

Grant Earl Mouser was born at La Rue, O., September 11, 1868. He was educated in the Union schools of that place. Graduating from Ada university and the Cincinnati Law school (1890), he was admitted to the bar and has since practiced law at Marion, O. For a while he was law partner of Hon. Boston G. Young, afterwards forming a partnership with Harry H. Quigley, which latter firm still exists. He was elected prosecuting attorney for Marion county and served three years from January, 1894. Mr. Mouser was elected to the present

term by a majority of 1,052.

LAWYER HUMMEL

Convicted in New York and Given
Extreme Limit of Law—Is Re-
leased on Bail.

May Parole Federal Prisoners From
Jails and Penitentiaries United
States Judge Rules.

New York, Dec. 21—Abraham H. Hummel, the lawyer whose trial on a charge of conspiracy in the famous Morse-Dodge marital tangle has excited the interest of the public and members of the bar all over the country, was found guilty by a jury in the criminal branch of the Supreme court before Judge Rodgers yesterday afternoon.

He was sentenced almost immediately at the request of his counsel to one year in the penitentiary and to service had the right to parole Jospeh Naples, a federal prisoner, imprisoned in the Cleveland workhouse. The sentence was the extreme limit of the law.

Hummel was at once taken to the charge of the Cleveland workhouse and placed in a cell, but was authorized to parole a prisoner sentenced thereto by a United States bond on a writ of reasonable doubt.

The judge held that City Solicitor

Baker of Cleveland, was correct in his contention that the board of public

service had the right to parole Jospeh Naples, a federal prisoner, im-

prisoned in the Cleveland workhouse.

The judge, "Have the officials in

the city officials in

the charge of the Cleveland workhouse

and the public be controlled by the warships already there. The

only danger is that dissatisfaction may

spread to the interior. It is thought

that it will not be necessary to send

troops, as the Chinese government is

taking every precaution to prevent an

uprising. The foreign office has

disapproved the action of the British as-

sessor in confining Chinese women

prisoners in a foreign jail. It has so

instructed the minister at Peking, Sir

E. M. Satow, who has ordered the

transfer of the prisoners to a native

jail. It is alleged that this action of the

assessor was the cause of the re-

cent rioting.

DISPUTE

Will Not be Taken to Ohio On Wedding Day Three Years
Ago Ends in Double
Tragedy.

MRS. CHADWICK

Cleveland, Dec. 21—Cassie Chad-

wick in jail here and under sentence

will not be taken to the Columbus



MRS. CASSIE L. CHADWICK.

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 21—Wm. Mc-

Coy, 23, lake captain, ended the

trouble between himself and his wife

last night by shooting and killing

her and himself at 354 Swan street.

The shooting occurred at the home of

her mother and stepfather Mr. and

Mrs. Frank Barrows. They were

married three years ago next March.

A dispute occurred between them

since their wedding day, when she

took an aversion to him and refused

to accompany him from her home.

Her mother claims she never told the

cause of the trouble.

SENATOR FORAKER

Talks Railway Rates in Senate
Explaining His Position on the
Subject.

Washington, Dec. 21—The only notable feature of the open session of the senate was a brief discussion of the question of railroad legislation by Messrs. Foraker and Culverton. The controversy was precipitated by a speech made by Mr. Foraker in connection with a recent protest by the railroads against a bill pending in the senate.

Mr. Foraker reiterated his position on the question of rate legislation.

He said that he differed from other

senators on the point as to the

measures to be adopted for the evils of

which the railroads have been made.

Mr. Foraker nominated William R. Warner of Urbana, O., to be

his successor at Columbus.

Mr. Foraker engaged

Charles R. Thompson, an alleged

bank robber, as his counsel.

Mr. Thompson is accused of being

The Rain Sale AT NORTON'S

All articles except net lines bought by you at our store while it is raining [not misting] will be sold at 25 per cent less than regular price. Come while it rains and save 25 per cent.

WILLIE HESTON

Wants to Coach Ohio State at Columbus in the Year 1906

MADE FORMAL APPLICATION

CAPTAIN CATLIN OF CHICAGO IS ALSO AFTER THE JOB

Coach Stanton May Leave Denison Next Year--He is Entertaining Business Proposition.

Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 21.—Football coaches were not long in discovering the scent of the Ohio State honey and three application are already in for the position of coach of the State team since the resignation of Sweetland, still unacted on, is in the hands of the board. The most famous, perhaps, is "Wee Willie" Heston, the great Michigan halfback, and this last season coach of the Drake team. He has applied to the board for the position and wants the place badly. He perhaps remembers what a time his team had in defeating State here two years ago and believes that it is a pretty good place to land. Big Guard Carter, also with the memory of that great game still fresh in his mind, wants the place. Carter assisted Yost at Michigan this year. Of course the application of Coach Amos Foster has been mentioned before. It is understood that the committee will meet today or tomorrow to act on the acceptance of Sweetland's resignation. It is rumored that it will not be accepted. If it is not, two coaches at least will have shown their hand and will have some explaining to do at home and give reason for wanting to leave their respective places.

Marc Catlin, captain of this year's Chicago championship football team, and also a great track man on the Maroon squad for several years, to day wrote a letter to the Ohio State athletic board and applied for the position of coach at Ohio State. The information was given out semi-officially yesterday. It could not be officially verified but it is practically certain that Catlin has added his name to the list of applicants for the position of each at Ohio State.

There is a chance that Denison university will have to look elsewhere for an athletic trainer at the end of this year. Coach Stanton, who has been working at the University the year round, has hinted to some friends that he may quit the coaching game next spring. He is considering an insurance proposition at his home in Scranton, Pa. Stanton is firmly entrenched at Denison and should he decide to quit it would be cause for regret there and among other Ohio colleges, who have met his various teams in athletics.

Huge Task.
It was a huge task, to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier, of Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful backache, headache and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver or stomach. Guaranteed, by Hall, the druggist; price 50c.

BIG CHANGE IN FOOTBALL RULES

FACULTY COMMITTEE TO URGE AROLISHING OF ALL MASS PLAYS.

Princeton Believes These Changes Are Essential for Proper Reformation.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 21—President Woodrow Wilson and the faculty committee on outdoor sports of Princeton university, announces the principal changes in the methods of playing and conducting football which Princeton believes to be essential for the proper reformation of the game.

They will urge earnestly on all suitable occasions the following:

First, that in the playing of the game all interference be abolished.

Second, that all coaching by men who are paid in any way, directly or indirectly, or who receive their expenses or any part of them, be done away with.

Third, that the number of inter-collegiate contests be materially decreased and the length of the season

for such contests be correspondingly shortened.

The first suggestion is for the purpose of abolishing all mass plays and of restoring the original open game. The second suggestion is designed to place the game upon a purely amateur footing and to restore to the players themselves the initiative of which in recent years they have been deprived. The object of the third suggestion is to decrease the amount of time and energy which the players are now obliged to devote to the game.

The committee has instructed Princeton's representative upon the rules committee, J. B. Fine, to urge upon that committee the acceptance of the first suggestion.

Elegant Bath Robes \$3.50 upward at Geo. Hermann's the Clothier. 19-2

MAX LUTTBEG

Hunting For a Match at Cincinnati, Is Taken Up by Whittle Miller.

Max Luttbeg, the Newark wrestler, has broken into print in Cincinnati, where he is hunting for a match. The Enquirer says:

Max Luttbeg's challenge has been accepted by Whittle Miller, whose manager sends the following to the Enquirer:

Cincinnati, O., Dec. 20, 1905.
To the Editor of the Enquirer.

Dear Sir—I noticed a challenge issued by Max Luttbeg to throw any two men in the city. Now I will make Luttbeg a proposition. I will bet \$50 that Mr. Luttbeg cannot throw Whittle Miller twice inside of one hour. The winner of said match can also take all the gate receipts if they wrestle in public. Yours respectfully,

Chas. C. Kristine,
Manager of Whittle Miller.

There's nothing so pleasing as one of Haynes Bros. Kodaks.

LEFT HOME WITH ONLY HIS TICKET

Albert E. Gaines, the Young Athlete Returns Three Years Later Possessor of Millions.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 21—Albert E. Gaines, of Lawrenceburg, and at one time a resident of Louisville, has arrived in the city from the West en route to his old home to spend the holidays and bringing with him as wonderful a story of riches quickly accumulated as was ever told. Mr. Gaines is now worth millions, how many he does not know, and he has made every dollar of it during the last 30 months.

Gaines left Lawrenceburg three years ago for Denver, with only money enough to pay for his railroad ticket and meals on the way. Arriving in Denver he formed a real estate partnership with Chas. M. Summer, but met with only ordinary success. A little over two years ago he heard of a gold mine that had been located in southeastern Nevada which gave promise of good returns if properly developed. Gaines and Summer managed to secure backing to the extent of \$5,000, which sum they paid as option on the property, later purchasing it for \$75,000. In two years this mine and other properties the company has acquired has produced nearly \$17,000,000 and is in the very heart of the famous Gold Field district.

Gaines modestly says that his wealth at present is about \$2,000,000 outside of his holdings in the Gold Field district. Albert Gaines is a graduate of the Kentucky university and was manager of the football team of that institution. He is 28 years old.

About 100 years more will be required to complete the work of making a topographical map of the country, which was begun by the United States Government, in 1882.

SHYLOCK

Shylock was the man who wanted a pound of human flesh. There are many Shylocks now, the convalescent, the consumptive, the sickly child, the pale young woman, all want human flesh and they can get it—take Scott's Emulsion.

Scott's Emulsion is flesh and blood, bone and muscle. It feeds the nerves, strengthens the digestive organs and they feed the whole body.

For nearly thirty years Scott's Emulsion has been the great giver of human flesh.

We will send you a couple of ounces free.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
409-415 Pearl Street, New York
sec and 8a; all druggists

and since he has been on the Pacific coast this winter he has set 'em all talking. Today he is a 10 to 1 favorite in the great event.

The following letter from Mr. Jones has just been received. It corroborates the foregoing startling announcement made in the wireless telegram quoted above. Mr. Jones says:

"I am sending you by this mail a snap-shot of eleven of the dozen swimmers who are to take part in a great contest here on Christmas day. This picture will give the Advocate readers and my friends at home some idea as to how I am spending the winter on the Pacific coast. The great swimming contest that takes place on Christmas day (weather and water permitting) is becoming generally talked of. As I was always considered

COOKY JONES IN SWIMMING RACE

GREAT EVENT IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE PLACE IN THE PACIFIC OCEAN.

Wireless Message and Letter From Newark Man Enclosing Picture Give the News.

Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 21.—(By Wireless)—"Cooky" Jones of Ohio is one of the dozen men entered in the \$500 gold cup swimming contest



COOKY JONES AND HIS FELLOW SWIMMERS.

scheduled to take place in the Pacific ocean between San Pedro and Santa Catalina Island on Christmas day. This is a ten mile salt water swim, the contest being open to the world. Height and weight cut no figure and the question of professionalism is not bothering anybody. Nobody in Ohio would take Mr. Jones for an expert swimmer as his swimming exploits at home (Newark) are confined principally to the bathtub, but at Atlantic City during the summer season he developed great ability along this line

a fast runner in my boyhood days, also a regular water fiend and good swimmer, the people out here said to me "Why don't you go in the race, for you act like you might get a piece of the \$500 prize, the way you go through the water."

After some consideration on my part, with nothing to lose and something to gain, (and as one can hardly sink in salt water, even if you become exhausted) I decided to enter. I have my light-weight bathing suit with me that I use at Atlantic City, N. J., and

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have tried the waves of the Pacific almost daily since my arrival. I find it great sport and will try to get a piece of the \$500 cash prize—\$200 to first, \$150 to second, \$75 to third, \$50 to fourth, and \$25 to fifth. Think of me on Christmas day when I'm on the briny.

This picture was taken on the beach in the sand of the eleven contestants already entered. I am so far the light weight of the party, so you will see they have placed me by the side of the heavy weight. I weighed in at 110 pounds and the man by my side weighed in at 550 pounds, just five times my weight. I do not expect to let Cleveland or fatty down me or be behind him at the finish, even if he does consider himself a professional. So far there are 12 entries. They say there will be 25 or 30 in the race, so watch the paper and see where the Buckeye boys are in the finish.

Mrs. Jones and I left Ohio the last of October, stopped at Chicago, Denver, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, San Diego and Los Angeles. Our headquarters are at Los Angeles, Cal., where I lived 30 years ago when it was a town of 6,000 people. Now it is a city of 175,000 inhabitants, is growing and booming. Had I bought property when here in 1876 I might to day be numbered among the millionaires of the earth.

I expect to winter on the coast and if I am one of the winners in the race I will not return until the robins come back in the spring. Now I must close and you may expect more if I am victorious. Yours,

COOKEY JONES.

DECLARED DEAD

But Found to be in a Trance After Being Placed in a Coffin in New Jersey.

New York, Dec. 21.—After being dead apparently for three days, placed in a coffin and with her friends and relatives ready to take a farewell glance at the body before it was buried, Viola Anderson, 17 years of age, of Fay avenue, Elizabeth, N. J., was found to be in a trance and was revived.

The girl, who is a negress, escaped being buried alive by a very small margin. A close friend of the family noticed that the body appeared to be slightly warm, although the girl was supposed to have been dead three days. Finally the family physician was sent for, and after a thorough examination and severe tests, he said the girl was only in a trance. After working over her for several hours the doctor managed to revive the young woman.

It is now believed the girl may recover.

WEDDINGS.

KELLEY-KUPPINGER.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Kuppinge on Spring street, when the Rev. L. C. Sparks united in marriage their third daughter, Miss Annis, to Mr. Edwin J. Kelley in the presence of the immediate friends of the family. At six o'clock, to the strains of Mendelsohn's wedding march played by Mrs. Ross, the bridal party entered the parlor, where they were met by the officiating clergyman, and took their places, under an arch of holly, laurel and mistletoe, decorated with red Christmas bells. First to enter the room was the maid of honor, Miss Neva Marple, charmingly gowned in blue silk and carrying a bouquet of pink carnations, and Mr. Lewis Doll of Columbus as best man. Next came the bride and groom. The bride was beautiful in a gown of pearl nun's veiling trimmed with medallions and carrying a large bouquet of white carnations. Immediately following the ceremony an elaborate five course dinner was served the guests, the color scheme of red and green being effectively carried out. Dainty place cards decorated with holly, seated the guests. The bride's table was decorated with red carnations and red and green hearts were strung from the corner of the table to the chandelier above, under which hung a red bell in a wreath of holly. When the bride's cake was cut the ring was received by Arthur Davis, the thimble by Norman Kuppinge and the money by Lewis Doll.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley will reside with the groom's mother for the present, where they will be at home to their many friends. Both Mr. and Mrs. Kelley are very popular with their large circle of friends, who extend to them best wishes for their future happiness. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents.

VALENTINE BINDER

Former Newark Man Secures License in Columbus—Groom 78, Bride 46.

Valentine Binder, who for years conducted a restaurant in Newark, where the Schaller Brothers are now located, but who has lived in Columbus for several years, visited the Franklin county court house Wednesday and secured a marriage license to wed Anna Dold. The record reads as follows:

Valentine Binder, 78; Anna Dold, 46.



If you are looking for a

WATCH

For a Christmas Present

Make us a visit and we will show you that our prices are right.

Pratt & Gibb

38 North Park



SHOES

FOR THE

Christmas Stocking

Are to be had in great variety of style, shape, size and price. Slippers for men, women and children. Leggings and rubber boots for children for Christmas presents are sure to please them. Come in and see what we have.

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ONE NIGHT

Tuesday, Dec. 26

The Comedy Sensation of the Metropolitan Season.

The Heir To the Hoorah

By Paul Armstrong.
With Guy Bates Post and a Notable
Cast for the Hudson
Theatre, N. Y.

ABOUT PEOPLE

Miss Delta Fitzgerald is spending the day in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Beabout of Granville spent the day in Newark.

Clyde Marshall has taken a position in the city postoffice as extra man during the holidays.

Mrs. Wilber Louis is visiting in Lancaster, the guest of Miss Helen Schmelzer for a few days.

Z. S. Forry, wife and son of Pine street, leave Friday for Los Angeles, Cal., for a several weeks' stay.

C. R. McCann of the McCann Realty company, and wife, are spending the holidays with Mr. McCann's parents in Allegheny, Pa.

Mrs. R. T. Williams and children, who were called to Butler, O., several weeks ago owing to the illness of Mrs. Williams' mother, returned Thursday.

Misses Florence Fulton and Amy Everett have returned from Smith College, Northampton, Mass., and will spend the holidays with their parents.

Robert Keenan, an employee of the Pratt-Kirk planing mill, who has been quite sick for some time, but who was thought to be recovering, has had a relapse.

Mr. Asa L. Knight, with the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance company at Indianapolis, is visiting his father, John L. Knight at Vanatta, after an absence of 14 years.

Judge Fred S. Hatch came from Columbus on Wednesday to attend the funeral of Miss Hanna Angeta Adams, which took place from the residence of Dr. C. A. Hatch.

AT THE BIG STORE.
Toys, Dolls, Playthings at 1-2 price
tonight. THE POWERS-MILLER CO.

A Bad Scare.

Some day you will get bad scare, when you feel a pain in your bowels, and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life Pills, a sure cure, for all bowel and stomach diseases, such as headaches, biliousness, costiveness, etc. Guaranteed at Hall's drug store, only 25c. Try them.

Big reduction on all Children's Suits and Overcoats at Geo. Hermann's this week.

SILVER LIGHT OIL burns without smoke or smell. Ask your dealer for it.

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OBITUARY

MRS. CATHERINE HAMMEL.

Gatherine Trimble was born in Coshontown, Ohio, February 23, 1835, and departed this life December 6, 1905, aged 70 years, 10 months and 13 days. She was united in marriage to Joseph Hammel September 22, 1852, who passed from this life some six years ago. She united with the Disciple church early in life and remained true to that profession until death. To know this woman was to love her, her gentle nature and sweet spirit won all who came in contact with her. She had been a sufferer for many years but in the past few weeks her sufferings grew more intense, but she bore them patiently. She had six brothers and three sisters of whom two brothers and one sister survive her. One brother lives in Illinois, one in Indiana and the sister in Iowa. The church has lost a worthy member and the community a good citizen.

MRS. SUSAN ROMINE.

Mrs. Susan Romine aged 81 years, died Thursday at 6 a. m., at the home of her son, Scott Romine, one and a half miles south of Black Hand. The deceased leaves four sons and two daughters. The funeral service will be conducted in the M. E. church at Black Hand at 10 a. m. Friday, and the interment will be made in Beulah cemetery.

MRS. ANNA SPEARS.

Mrs. Anna Caroline Spears died at her home, 23 Front street, Wednesday at 2 p. m., aged 50 years, death being due to dropsy. The funeral will take place at 9 a. m. Friday from St. Francis de Sales church. Interment in Mt. Calvary cemetery.

LUCINDA MURPHY.

Lucinda Murphy, aged 78 years, died at her home, 70 Pataskala street.

Bright's Disease Cured
By Thompson's Barosma.
No Return of the Disease after
Six Years.

I had been troubled with Kidney and Liver complaint for several years. I had suffered with a dull, heavy pain across the back. I had gradually become all rundown. A great deal of the time my stomach was filled with gas and I was growing very nervous and was constantly suffering with headache. Finally I discovered a white, cloudy sediment in my urine which frightened me, for I knew then I had Bright's Disease. I began taking Thompson's Barosma. Kidney and Liver Cure at once and these bottles seemed to cure me, but to me a permanent cure I took three bottles more. Although it is six years now I have had no trouble with my kidneys. I have been taking Barosma from John F. K. S. in Newmarket, Crawford Co., Pa. Thompson's Barosma 50c and \$1.00. THE WILES, ERMAN DRUG CO.

at 5 p. m. Wednesday. The deceased leaves no immediate relatives. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

MRS. CONLEY'S FUNERAL.

Mrs. E. J. Conley who died Wednesday, will be buried Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Trinity Episcopal church. Rev. L. P. Franklin will officiate and burial will take place at Cedar Hill.

MISS KEYES' FUNERAL.

The funeral of Miss Gladys Keyes, of Dresden, who died Tuesday evening from the effects of arsenic poisoning, will be held from the home at that place Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Dyer, of the Episcopal church. Interment will be made at Dresden.

MRS. MILLIE SHUCK.

News was received Thursday morning of the sudden death of Mrs. Millie Shuck in Zanesville. She was taken to the hospital Wednesday to be operated on for appendicitis, and died while under the influence of the opiate. The funeral will be Saturday at 2 p. m. Mrs. Shuck has many friends here who will be pained to hear of her death.

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It has no secret, that for Cuts, Burns, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Sore Eyes, Boils, etc., nothing is so effective as Buckle's Arnica Salve. "It didn't take long to cure bad sore I had and it is all O. K. for sore eyes," writes D. L. Gregory, of Hope, Tex. 25c. at Hall's drug store.

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Grain and provision market furnished by F. B. Sinsabeugh, broker, room 1, 15 1-2 West Main street.

Wheat.

Open|High | Low | Clos
July ... | 82.51 | 83.6 | 82.1 | 83.5
Dec ... | 84. | 84. | 83.1 | 85.5
May ... | 88.1 | 88.1 | 87.3 | 87.7

Corn.

July ... | 30.4 | 30.5 | 30.3 | 30.5
Dec ... | 20.6 | 20.6 | 20.5 | 30.6
May ... | 32. | 32.1 | 32.7 | 32.

Oats.

July ... | 30.4 | 30.5 | 30.3 | 30.5

Dec ... | 20.6 | 20.6 | 20.5 | 30.6

May ... | 32. | 32.1 | 32.7 | 32.

Pork—Provisions.

May ... | 18.52 | 18.65 | 18.52 | 18.65
Jan ... | 18.85 | 18.50 | 18.37 | 18.50

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Today's cattle 10,000, strong; hogs 35,000, steady to strong; sheep 14,000, steady to strong.

Pittsburg, Dec. 21.—Today's cattle light, slow; sheep light, slow; hogs 20 doubles, slow, 5 @ 10c lower.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Common to prime steers, \$3.00@4.75; cows, \$2.80@4.40; heifers, \$2.00@4.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.15@4.25; bulls, \$2.00@4.00. Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, \$4.00@5.75; lambs, \$1.00@60, yearlings, \$5.75@8.50. Calves—\$2.50@5.50. Hogs—Choice to prime heavy, \$5.00@5.15; medium, \$4.50@5.00; butchers weight, \$5.00@5.15; good to choice heavy mixed, \$5.00@5.15; packing, \$4.90@5.00. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$6@8c. No. 3 red, \$6@8c. Oats—No. 2, \$1.20@1.50.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle: Export, good to choice, \$5.00@5.25; shipping steers, \$4.25@4.60; butcher cattle, \$4.10@4.75; heifers, \$2.40@4.20; cows, \$2.00@3.70; bulls, \$2.00@3.70; milkers and springers, \$1.00@2.50. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice, \$6.00@6.75; wethers, \$5.00@6.00, mixed, \$5.00@6.75; wethers, \$5.00@6.00, mixed, \$5.00@6.75; lambs, \$1.00@2.50. Hogs—Prime heavy, \$5.00@5.50, medium, \$4.50@5.00. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice, lambs, \$7.40@7.50; ewes, \$6.00@6.50, mixed, \$6.00@6.50. Pork—Choice to prime heavy, \$5.00@5.50, medium, \$4.50@5.00. Hams—Prime heavy, \$5.00@5.50, medium, \$4.50@5.00. Yorkers—\$5.00@5.50, mixed, \$4.50@5.00. Corn—No. 2, 5c. Oats—Cats-Mixed, 7c. 12-12t

SHOOTING IN NORTH END.

Residents in the vicinity of North Fourth and High streets were startled about 9 o'clock Wednesday night, by several shots, evidently fired from a shotgun, which came from the rear of a North Fourth street house. Pedestrians heard the shot rattle through the trees and upon the roofs of the houses but the cause of the shots could not be learned.

Dance Tonight.

Iron Molders' Union No. 152 will give a dance this evening at Assembly Hall, which promises to be one of the most successful dances they have ever given. Music will be furnished by Marsh's orchestra. The Molders extend a special invitation to the striking polishers, who will be admitted free. Come and enjoy an evening with the Molders.

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A potrà.

A crowd of 100 people with a squad of policemen and a number of newspaper men crowded into a little saloon known as the "Klondyke," where some excitement had broken loose Thursday afternoon. The police had visions of a bloody scene when they forced their way through the crowd. They were not disappointed. Two fierce bull dogs were busily engaged in "chewing ears" and the blood was flowing freely. A hibernation application of water separated the two canines and the excitement subsided.

Kerrigan Arrested.

Frank Kerrigan, a foundry worker employed at the Wehrle stove works, this city, against whom a charge of shooting with intent to kill had been held in the police court for the past eight months, was arrested at the Wehrle foundry, he having returned to this city. The affidavit was sworn out by William B. Rein, proprietor of a saloon on Walnut street, who says Kerrigan fired a shot at him through the window on the 12th of last April. At the time Kerrigan left the city and has eluded the officers ever since. He entered a plea of not guilty and was bound over to court by Mayor Cilly in the sum of \$100.

CINCINNATI—Wheat.

No. 2 red, 9-12c
Corn—No. 2 mixed, 44-45c
Oats—No. 2 7c
Lard—\$1.00@1.25
Bull meat—\$7.25@8.50
Beef—\$7.25@8.50
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TOLEDO—Wheat.

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Corn—No. 2 7c
Oats—No. 2 mixed, 44-45c
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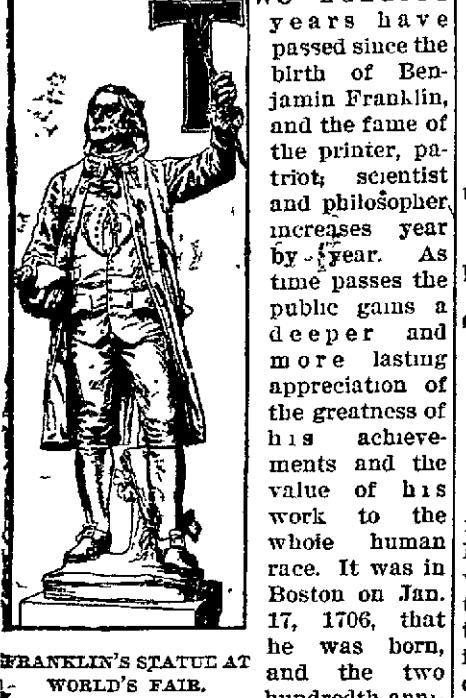
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FRANKLIN THE SAGE

CELEBRATIONS IN HONOR OF THE BICENTENARY OF HIS BIRTH.

The Career of the Printer and Scientist, Patriot and Philosopher, and His Services to Humanity—The Kite-Swing Experiment.



FRANKLIN'S STATUE AT WORLD'S FAIR.

WO hundred years have passed since the birth of Benjamin Franklin, and the fame of the printer, patriot, scientist and philosopher increases year by year. As time passes the public gains a deeper and more lasting appreciation of the greatness of his achievements and the value of his work to the whole human race. It was in Boston on Jan. 17, 1706, that he was born, and the two hundredth anniversary of that event is to be celebrated in many parts of the United States and in Europe. The principal celebration will take place in Philadelphia, the city most conspicuously identified with Franklin's long and active career. It was at first intended that the exercises should be held in January, but it seemed best to postpone them until next April in order that a more elaborate programme might be carried out at a time of the year convenient for such a celebration. The legislature has appropriated \$20,000 for the purpose. Governor Pennypacker will preside, President Roosevelt will take part, and the arrangements for the event will be in charge of the American Philosophical society, which Franklin founded. In Chicago the bicentenary will be observed in connection with an electrical exhibition.

Though Franklin was printer, newspaper publisher, author, inventor of the Franklin stove, postmaster general of

his theory that lightning and electricity were identical. It marked a long step in knowledge as to the character and properties of the mysterious agent which for so many centuries had eluded the pursuit of the learned and curious. The experiment took place near where the statue of Franklin, in front of the Philadelphia postoffice building, now stands. It was made in the year 1752, when he was forty-six years of age, and he was assisted by his son William, afterward colonial governor of New Jersey, but then a young man just past his majority. The kite was made from a silk handkerchief and had a piece of sharpened wire at the top. Its string was hempen except the part held in the hand, which was silk. At the end of the string was a common iron key and near by was a Leyden jar in which to collect from the clouds, if they should prove to contain it, the material necessary for an electrical shock. When a thunder cloud appeared to pass over the kite and yet no signs of electricity were manifested the hopes of father and son grew faint. But presently they observed the fiber of the hempen string to rise, and when the elder man touched his knuckles to the key he received a shock. Then the Leyden jar was filled, the truth of Franklin's theory had been demonstrated lightning rods were soon afterward invented by him and other electrical inventions followed.

For a score of years after the kite affair Franklin gave up much of his time to experiments with the wonderful fluid. In the Franklin institute in Philadelphia there is still preserved the machine which he built for the purpose of generating the electricity.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF NEWARK, OHIO

I endeavored in a former statement to make it clear that The Newark (O.) Water Company was willing to sell its plant to the city through an appraisal as per the terms of the original contract, which is the only way provided to dispose of the property to the city.

My proposition was specific, that if such appraisal was made and a price was agreed upon by the proceeding, the city should not be compelled to take the plant at such price.

I renew the proposition now, furthermore, if the city will undertake the appraisal and NO agreement be reached the Water Company will agree:

1. That the hydrant rental contract will be extended at the option of the city as long as is necessary to complete a municipal plant.

2. The city will be secured against any liability, either to take the property or to pay any costs, attorney fees or expenses on account of any litigation arising out of the appraisal or sale.

The Water Company claims and maintains that the city by making the purchase, can secure a complete plant in every respect, with adequate fire protection in every part of the city, at a saving of approximately \$200,000 in the cost of construction and eliminate competition, also that the city will avoid the tearing up of many miles of paved streets, and the danger of sickness, and possible, epidemic of diseases liable to follow the digging up of large areas of old streets and will receive the income from the 2500 patrons of The Newark (O.) Water Company.

But the Water Company takes this opportunity to state that if the city officials, reject this proposition, and refuse to purchase the property, the Water Company will continue to furnish filtered water to its customers, at a price that will retain their patronage.

Very respectfully submitted,
NEWARK (O.) WATER CO.
By Wm. Allen Veach,
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FIVE BURIED

A Score Hurt by the Collapse of False Work 150 Feet Below the Surface.

New York Dec. 21.—Five men were buried and 20 others were hit by rocks and beams by the collapse of the false work in the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel at the foot of West Thirty-third street, 150 feet under the North river this morning. Two hundred laborers engaged in the work were thrown into a panic, but before the five men were dug out and taken to Bellevue hospital. The others were attended by ambulance surgeons. Those taken to the hospital were: Joseph Leahy, Brooklyn, skull fractured; John Wellcock, internal injuries; Jeremiah Green, right leg broken; Peter Carroll, Brooklyn, contusion of chest and internal injuries. Lawrence Donnelly contusion of right leg and scalp wound. These men were at work 100 feet below the surface, following the excavators.

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GRACE VAN STUDDIFORD IS MAD

Perhaps This is the Reason Her Understudy Miss Brice Sang in "Lady Teazle" at the Auditorium Three Weeks Ago--Theatrical Firmament Jarred.

Maybe Grace Van Studdiford wasn't ill after all when "Lady Teazle" was presented before a large audience at the Auditorium on the night of December 7. Perhaps she was mad.

Announcement was made just before the curtain went up by the company's manager that the star had a bad cold and couldn't sing, but that Miss Brice, a capable understudy, would assume the role. Miss Brice did sing and she sang and acted well. The same program was carried out at Pittsburgh and in other cities visited by the company, but let the following Advocate telegram from Cleveland tell its own story. Here it is:

Cleveland, O., Dec. 21.—There has been a great jar in the theatrical firmament. Grace Van Studdiford is mad, so angry, in fact that she has refused to sing in Cleveland and her understudy will take her place when the "Lady Teazle" company comes to the Colonial theatre next week. "Oh, yes, her salary has been regularly paid. The Schuberts have attended to that. It isn't a mere matter of money. Several complications caused this jolt. First Grace has a husband. Last year Mrs. Van Studdiford in

sisted that he be made business manager of her company. The Schuberts had a good man in the place, and they refused to make the change. First blow, and first blood for the Schuberts.

Then shortly after the season opened there was a shift made in the personnel of the "Lady Teazle" company.

The leading man was removed and another put in his place. The first leading man was a favorite with the prima donna. She demanded that he be reinstated. He was discharged.

Little petty quarrels have continued between the Schuberts and Grace since that time. They have now culminated, and Mrs. Van Studdiford will not sing.

"I won't, so there! You don't need to coax me," she wired the management in New York.

So Lady Teazle next week will not be Van Studdiford. An Ohio girl will sing the part. She is a niece of the late Senator Calvin S. Brice, but of course that does not add to the beauty of her voice or the witchery of her face.

Miss Elizabeth Brice was born in Findlay, where her parents still live. Miss Brice was in Cleveland last year with Lillian Russell.

IMMORTAL J. N.

VISITS NEWARK

THE WELL KNOWN CHARACTER TALKS OF SELLING STOCK AND LIFTING VEIL

To an Advocate Man J. N. Relates an Interview He Had With Jeff Davis.

The "Immortal J. N." in his efforts to elevate mankind by "relieving the pressure" and "lifting the veil" has once again visited Newark and created considerable excitement on the street Thursday.

He arrived in the city unheralded Wednesday afternoon some time. He spent considerable of his time in "selling stock" in his company which is to form to advance his cause, and he interjects the remark, "Ain't it funny how God is on my side in this matter" into nearly all his rambling talk.

The feature of his conversation on Wednesday night to an Advocate reporter was his recitation of the interview which he succeeded in getting with the late Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy, while Mr. Davis was a prisoner at Fortress Monroe shortly after the close of the war.

The entire interview, which is presumed to have been published in some newspaper at the time, was recited in full. Apparently no detail, regardless of its non-importance, was left out of the man's recital. Other than this connected story of that visit, "J. N.'s" talk was decidedly rambling. He jumped from Urbana, Ill., to McCutcheonsville, O., almost in the same sentence.

J. N. Free is a well known character in this city. He formerly resided in Perry county and to the oldest inhabitant the story of his wanderings is yet clear. Years ago he had little or no trouble in going from one section of the country to another as he held passes over the railroads. He lived in Perry county at one time before his mind became unbalanced and was a practicing attorney.

FORTUNE

In Precious Stones Strangely Lost
By a Salesman and Recovered
Intact.

New York Dec. 21.—David H. Compton a diamond salesman of Elizabeth, N. J., has recovered \$12,000 worth of diamonds which he dropped while leaving a restaurant.

A curious part of the case is the carelessness with which the package was handled after being picked up on the floor beneath the table. The package was placed in a coat pocket which hung on a nail in the kitchen and remained there for hours.

Mr. Compton, who represents Philadelphia jewelry store, finished his work about 7 o'clock and went to lunch. He placed two packages containing diamonds in front of him on the table, covering them with a napkin. After finishing his meal he placed one package in his pocket and took up the other to place in his other pocket, but in some manner it fell under the table.

The first train from Philadelphia brought Mr. Compton. He hurried to the restaurant and identified the jeweler. He insisted on H. M. Mills the proprietor, taking \$100 as a Christmas present.

A Chicago man attended a ball, and by using a pedometer, reached the conclusion that a girl dances about 16 miles in the course of an evening.

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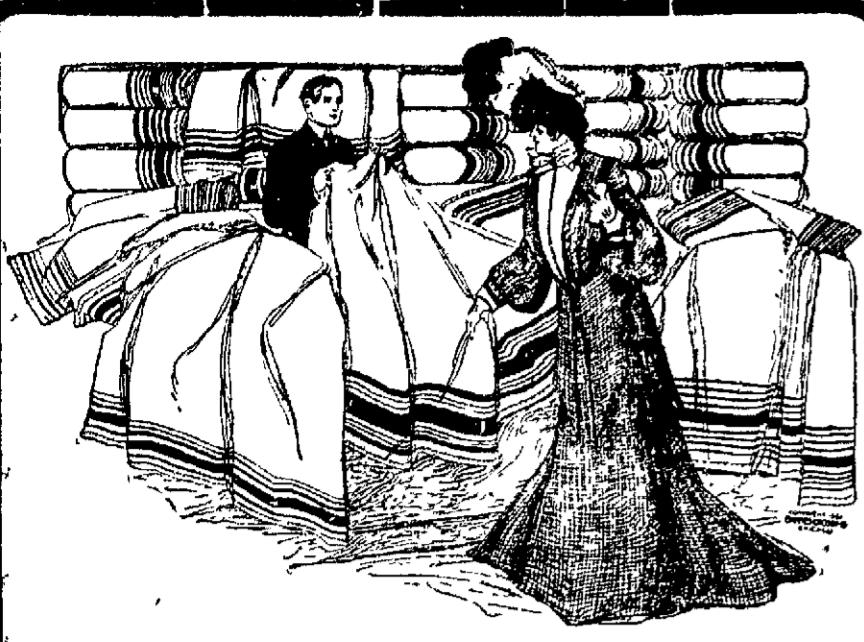
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ARGUMENT IN LINGAFELTER CASE

JUDGE SEWARD WILL DECIDE THE POINT RAISED AT LATER DATE.

Counsel for Mrs. Lingafelter Claims That Counts in Indictment are Defective.

Judge Seward heard arguments on Thursday morning on a demurrer to the indictments against Mrs. James F. Lingafelter, wherein she is charged with aiding and abetting Robert C. Lingafelter to falsely make, forge and counterfeit a certain receipt for \$200, for paid up stock in the defunct Homestead Building Association, the signature purporting to be that of Thomas Lloyd.

Counsel for the defendant, J. D. Jones, claimed that both counts in the indictment are defective on the ground that it is not alleged in the first count that a forgery was committed, and that it is not alleged in the second count that a forged paper was actually passed and that Robert C. Lingafelter knew that it was a forgery.

The prosecutor argued that the necessary allegations to constitute the offense have been stated in the indictment; that it has been drafted according to the statute and properly and sufficiently charges the offense.

The court took the demurrer under advisement, and will decide it later on.

Commissions Received.

Commissions have been received by County Clerk Hursey from Secretary of State Laylin for the following officials: J. M. Graham, County Commissioner; Capt. James H. Smith, Infirmary Director; Dr. L. L. Marrott, Coroner; D. D. Wood, Justice of the Peace of Jersey twp.; M. O. Nash, Justice of the Peace of Newark twp.; A. T. Sayre, Justice of the Peace of Granville twp.

For Partition of Property.

Mary Watkins, as guardian of James Watkins, an insane person, has commenced suit in the Common Pleas court against Frank Watkins, Benjamin Watkins and others for the partition of certain real estate. J. B. Jones, attorney for Mary Watkins.

Action for Damages.

Celia C. Robinson has commenced suit in the Common Pleas court against Harry Bailey for \$2,500 damages. She alleges that Bailey falsely accused her son of stealing a dog, and saying that she had the dog locked up in her home. S. L. James, attorney for the plaintiff.

Suit Against County.

Dr. A. V. Davis, by his attorneys, Flory & Flory, has commenced suit before Justice of the Peace J. R. Atcherley against the County Commissioners of Licking county to recover \$93.50 damages. He alleges that while traveling in his automobile on the 30th of last August on the National road in Etna township, the automobile was precipitated into a hole which had been carelessly allowed to exist. The defendant is represented by Attorney J. R. Fitzgibbons. The case is set for hearing on Wednesday, December 27, at eight o'clock a.m.

Real Estate Transfers.

Philip S. Phillips and Ida L. Phillips to the Toledo and Ohio Central Railway company, strip of land 30 1/2 feet wide in Union township, \$500 and other considerations.

Timberr Davis to Eli Davis, real estate in Mary Ann twp., \$1,200.

Jacob Wooster to Wm. Rostoffer and Catherine Rostoffer, lot 68 in Kirkerville, \$475.

Ida Lonnis, 12 acres in Etna twp., \$1 and other considerations.

Wesley Montgomery to Byron Shaw, real estate in Newark, \$184.50.

Marriage Licenses.

Clayton P. Cheaney, Newark; Zora Asher, Newark.

Frederick William Seiler, Newark; Barbara Herring, Newark.

Joseph Wendell Kline, Newark; Anna Estella Baker, Newark.

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A very fine line of umbrellas at King's. Prices to suit each and every purchaser. 18-6t

Found a Fine Ring.

Delaware, O., Dec. 21—Mrs. Geo. Ulrey of Genoa township, while gathering eggs behind the barn on the farm yesterday picked up a diamond ring valued at \$250. No clew as to its ownership has been found.

Shortest of the Year.

Thursday, December 21, is the shortest day of the year 1905.

No charred wicks, nor smoked chimneys when you use Silver Light Oil. Try it. 15d12t

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HERE DEC 26-30

TWO HUNDRED FINE CHICKENS WILL BE SEEN NEXT WEEK AT ARMORY.

Many Costly Specimens Will be Here. Expert Judge Coming to the Poultry Show.

Everybody, and especially those interested in pet stock and fine poultry, should not fail to attend the mammoth exhibition to be held in the large Armory on East Main street, Newark, December 26-30, 1905.

It will be a rare treat for the people of Licking county, surpassing by far, anything of the kind ever held in Central Ohio.

Chickens, ducks, pigeons, turkeys, rabbits, ferrets, &c., in fact the indications are it will rival anything ever held in Ohio, even in the larger cities; everybody is interested, and it is estimated that 800 birds, to say nothing of the pet stock of different kinds, will be on exhibition, and that at least 2500 persons will visit the show during the week. No less than 200 chickens will be on exhibition owned by fanciers in and around Newark, who have never made an exhibit before.

Many costly specimens will be there, as several intended exhibitors have purchased from some of the most famous breeders, in order that they may receive highest honors and awards. The writer knows of quite a number of fine chickens which will drop into the city about Saturday costing from \$5 to \$10 each.

The Prairie State Incubator company of Homer City, Pa., have arrived with a large shipment consisting of a complete line of incubators, brooders, hovers, &c., which will be on exhibition. This ought to be a great drawing card.

So far as now known, fowls will be here from Newark, all parts of Licking county, Glenford, Zanesville, Cambridge, Mt. Vernon, Sunbury, Roseville, Delaware and Columbus.

Entries close December 25, 1905, at 6 p.m., and all stock must be in the Armory at noon December 26th, and the exhibit will be open to the public at that time.

The expert judge, S. B. Lane, of Spiceland, Ind., will begin work Wednesday, December 27 at 9 a.m., and will continue over Thursday, December 28.

Do not fail to see a fowl scored, it is interesting. The armory will be open every day and evening until 9 p.m. Look east from the court house and the "Big Sign" will point the way. Admission ten cents.

See King's Christmas stock of suit cases before making your purchase. 12-18-6t

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RAILWAY NOTES

E. W. Parsons Painfully Hurt—Application for Pension—Local Railway Personals.

F. W. Parson a well known helper employed at the B. & O. shops, and residing at 26 Vine street, met with an accident while at work on Wednesday that will have the effect of preventing him from working for several days. He was engaged in wielding an ax when it slipped and struck one of his feet, inflicting a deep and ugly wound that required eleven stitches to close. Dr. B. F. Barnes attended the injury.

Emery H. Smith, a carpenter employed by the B. & O. who has been suffering with typhoid fever at his home on McKinley avenue since last October, is now rapidly improving, and will soon be able to resume work.

Daniel Tattersoll, a B. & O. machinist, has made application for a pension and to be placed on the required list. Mr. Tattersoll is one of the oldest employees at this point, in the service of the B. & O. railroad, having worked for the company over 30 years.

J. W. Patterson, a yard fireman, residing at 252 Indiana street, is unable to work on account of an attack of pleurisy.

Oito Kullman, a brakeman in the

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KERCHIEFS,
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SMOKING SETS,
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BRUSHES,
BRUSH AND
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Presents for
Children
DOLLS,
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GLOVES,
MITTENS,
PURSES,
HOSIERY,
TOQUES,
KNITTED
SLIPPERS.

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Little Ones
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Best Noon Lunch in Newark from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. Expert cooking—unexcelled service

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Stop the leaks in your old wooden frame skylight. How? get a

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They will not leak. See

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PLEASANT VALLEY.

The Christmas entertainment which will be given here by the Sunday School has been changed to Sunday, December 11th. Rev. T. G. Tedrick preached here on Sunday morning and took dinner with relatives in Newark.

Mrs. W. O. Beckham and son Carl visited at G. W. Priest's on Thursday last week.

Mrs. Candace Colville and daughter to Delta of Long Run, took dinner at Mr. J. E. Divan's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter and son Floyd of Long Run took dinner at Mrs. Varner's Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Priest and Mr. Fred Cullison took dinner at Willis Priest's Sunday.

Miss Inez Porter of Long Run took dinner with Miss Maud Beckham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Beckham and two sons, and Mrs. H. W. Priest and children visited at Mrs. Sarah Weekley's Sunday.

Mr. A. J. Demorest visited the school Monday afternoon.

Miss May Weekley visited at Amos Myers' east of here Monday.

Mrs. G. W. Priest and daughter, Myrtle, visited at J. Priest's of Fairview Monday.

Mr. Charlie Ikehorn of Irville visited friends here Sunday.

Misses Lola Varner, Myrtle Priest, and Maud Beckham, and Messrs. Earl B. Varner and A. J. Demorest spent Sunday evening at Mr. J. E. Divan's. The evening was spent with instrumental and vocal music.

Miss Mabel Johnson celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary Saturday, by entertaining her little schoolmates from 10 to 2 o'clock. A two-course dinner was served and she received several nice presents. Those present were Eunice Hoover, Cora Priest, Yoomia Divan, Carroll and Kyle Varner, Jay Cullison, Harold Beckham and Evan Divan.

THE W. C. T. U.

An interesting meeting was held in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon. The devotional was lead by Mrs. Parker, after which the business part was taken up and disposed of.

Mrs. Rinehart, superintendent of Red Letter Days, took charge and after singing a hymn, proceeded to carry out the program prepared. Those taking part were Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Kellar, Mrs. Stella Anderson, and Mrs. Sisson.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, December 26 in the Christian Union church, West Newark, and will be lead by Mrs. Maxwell.

A social will be given on Thursday evening, December 28, under the supervision of the superintendent, Mrs. Rinehart.

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MULBERRY.

Several from this place attended the dedication of the new church at Gratiot Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Drumm has been working at the Wehrle stove foundry for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCracken called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McCracken, Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Loughman and granddaughter, Ira, called on J. A. McCracken's Monday afternoon.

Mr. Lou Simpson called on W. E. McCracken Tuesday evening.

Ira Gard and cousin Herbert Loughman, are suffering from a severe attack of whooping cough.

Isaac Myers was a pleasant caller in Mulberry Sunday evening.

There will be Sunday school at the Brown church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Misses Lizzie and Verta McCracken called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers Sunday.

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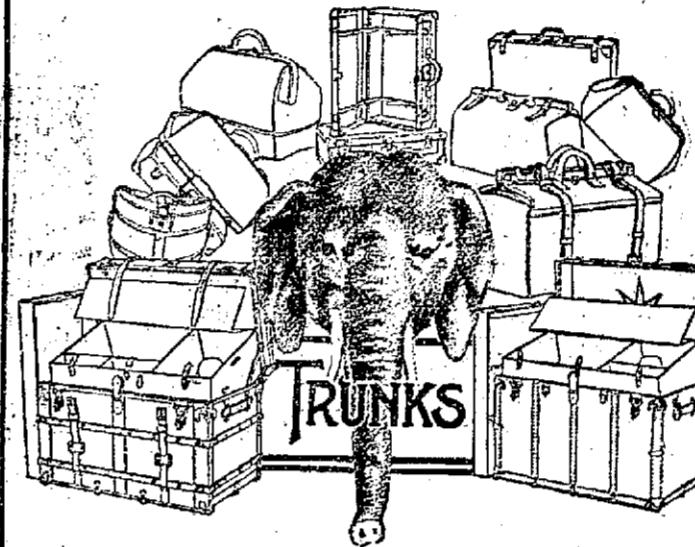
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10 North Side Square.

LICKING.

The ladies church circle met at the parsonage this week and filled a barrel with clothing to send to a missionary in the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ruffner, who have both been sick recently, are able to be out again. Little Mary has also been sorely afflicted with asthma, but is much improved.

After an absence in Jefferson county for two weeks, Pastor McCall returned last Saturday and preached at Licking and Union last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McCarty have the sympathies of the entire community in the death of their son, Otto, who died last Friday morning of lung trouble. He was an operator on the B. and O. at Big Walnut and had a good position. He came home election day and took to his bed and went down very fast in spite of the best medical skill. He was to have been married Christmas. His fiancee, Miss Nosker of Zanesville has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

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TOBOSO.

Mr. and Mrs. George Irwin of Washington, O., are visiting relatives here.

Mr. David Varner of Boston, Mass., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Varner and other relatives here.

Miss Sarah Cheek visited at Mrs. Sofie Crawford's Tuesday.

Mrs. Delilah Lescalleet and daughter Ora, spent Sunday with James Brown and family of Brownsville.

Miss Ida Cheek spent Saturday night and Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. Laura Brill of Newark.

Mr. Cary Davis spent Saturday night at his home in Rocky Fork.

Mrs. Grace Lehman of Newark is visiting at her home here.

Mr. Scott Romine has bought Mrs. Martha Rodman's farm and will move there in the spring. Mrs. Rodman will make her future home with her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Sprague at Millport.

Miss Adah Brill attended church at this place Sunday night.

MRS. CARTER TOO COLD

So Called Theatrical Syndicate Puts Up Defense—Want Books Shown.

New York, Dec. 21.—Julius Cahn, a member of the so-called theatrical syndicate, declares that it was because Mrs. Leslie Carter was "too cold for us" that the combination refused to book the actress in certain cities.

Mr. Cahn's statement was made at the hearing on the legal proceedings by which several independent theatrical managers are seeking to force members of the so-called theatrical syndicate to produce their business accounts and records in court. Mr. Cahn is booking agent for Charles Frohman. He was asked:

"Why did you refuse to book Mrs. Leslie Carter in certain cities?"

"Because the last time we booked her in those cities we lost money," replied Mr. Cahn. "She was too cold for us," he added.

Dr. Edward L. Bloom of the Cahn & Grant circuit, said the reason Mrs. Carter and other Belasco attractions were not booked was because whenever Belasco offered a good show the prices asked were such that there could be no profit in it for the booking agents.

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PLEASANT VALLEY.

The Christmas entertainment which will be given here by the Sunday school has been changed to Sunday night, Christmas eve, and will be free. Rev. T. G. Tedrick preached here Sunday morning and took dinner with Mrs. Emma Varner.

Mrs. W. O. Beckham and son Carl visited at G. W. Priests' on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Candace Colville and daughter Della of Long Run, took dinner at Mr. J. E. Divan's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter and son Floyd of Long Run took dinner at Mrs. Varner's Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Priest and Mr. Fred Cullison took dinner at Willis Priests' Sunday.

Miss Inez Porter of Long Run took dinner with Miss Maud Beckham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Beckham, and two sons, and Mrs. H. W. Priest and children visited at Mrs. Sarah Weekley's Sunday.

Mr. A. J. Demorest visited the school Monday afternoon.

Miss May Weekley visited at Amos Myers' east of here Monday.

Mrs. G. W. Priest and daughter, Myrtle visited at J. Priest's of Fairview Monday.

Mr. Charlie Eichorn of Irville visited friends here Sunday.

Misses Lola Varner, Myrtle Priest, and Maud Beckham, and Messrs. Earl B. Varner and A. J. Demorest spent Sunday evening at Mr. J. E. Divan's. The evening was spent with instrumental and vocal music.

Miss Mabel Johnson celebrated her seventh birthday anniversary Saturday, by entertaining her little schoolmates from 10 to 2 o'clock. A two-course dinner was served and she received several nice presents. Those present were Eunice Hoover, Cora Priest, Yoomia Divan, Carroll and Kyle Varner, Jay Cullison, Harold Beckham and Evan Divan.

THE W. C. T. U.

An interesting meeting was held in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon. The devotees were lead by Mrs. Parker, after which the business part was taken up and disposed of.

Mrs. Rinehart, superintendent of Red Letter Days, took charge and after singing a hymn, proceeded to carry out the program prepared. Those taking part were Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Kellar, Mrs. Stella Anderson and Mrs. Sisson.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, December 26 in the Christian Union church, West Newark, and will be lead by Mrs. Maxwell.

A social will be given on Thursday evening, December 28, under the supervision of the superintendent, Mrs. Rinehart.

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MULBERRY.

Several from this place attended the dedication of the new church at Gratiot Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Drumm has been working at the Wehrle stove foundry for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCracken called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCracken, Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Loughman and granddaughter, Ira, called on J. A. McCracken's Monday afternoon.

Mr. Lou Simpson called on W. E. McCracken Tuesday evening.

Ira Gard and cousin Herbert Loughman, are suffering from a severe attack of whooping cough.

Isaac Myers was a pleasant caller in Mulberry Sunday evening.

There will be Sunday school at the Brown church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Misses Lizzie and Verta McCracken called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers Sunday.

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FRAMPTON.

Miss Blanche Van Winkle spent last Wednesday and Thursday with Miss Ida Billman.

Mrs. E. D. Rinehart and daughter Mrs. Jay Frampton spent Wednesday night with relatives in Newark.

Dr. J. N. Palmer of Newark, spent Thursday with his sister, Mrs. Archie Little.

Mrs. Amelia Van Winkle is gone

to Newark to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. David Moysander.

Miss Flora Rinehart was the guest

of the Misses Lena and Bertha Wright Sunday.

Mr. Chas. Van Winkle and sister Anne spent Sunday at the home of Mr. George Oxley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Frampton spent

Sunday in Perryton, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Frampton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oster Howell of Hanover, spent Sunday night the guest of Mr. E. C. Howell and family.

There will be a social given at the home of Mr. George Oxley Friday evening, December 22, for the benefit of the B. Y. P. U. Supper 10 cents. All are invited to attend.

Mr. E. C. Howell attended preaching

services at Butler, near New Castle Sunday.

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Miss Mamie Farquhar is visiting

relatives in Newark.

Professor Mossander and wife

and son Kenneth of Bladensburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jay

Frampton Saturday.

Miss Blanche Van Winkle visited

friends at Wakatomika Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark spent

Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Madison Billman of Fallsburg.

Miss Ottie Oxley returned to her

home Sunday after a pleasant visit

with Millfork friends.

NOTICE.

I want to save all the evergreen trees and shrubbery about the Black Hand rocks for park purposes. Therefore any person or persons cutting or destroying same will be promptly arrested. Jesse E. Snelling. 15-d61

HOMER.

Mr. D. M. Hensley left Wednesday morning for Cattelburg, Va.

Mrs. Gertie Mathias entertained a few friends Friday evening.

Mrs. Kathleen Glassford and Lydia Sellers were in Utica one day last week.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Baptist church Saturday night. Everyone invited.

Mr. G. Gildhart visited friends in Homer Sunday.

Mr. Charles Griffith and daughter were guests of S. C. Dunlap Sunday.

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CROTON.

The meetings which have been in progress the past two weeks at Wesley Chapel closed Sunday evening.

Mrs. May Young and daughter Carrie, visited relatives in Newark over Sunday.

John Ogilvie, who has been visiting his brother here the past two months, returned to his home in Kankakee III., Tuesday.

Kirk Willison returned home from Oklahoma Saturday, where he was called by the sudden death of his brother.

There will be a church bazaar at the Graves Hall Friday afternoon, concluding with a chicken-pie supper in the evening.

Emmett Sturdevant, who has been working in the southern part of the state the past month, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. S. B. Perry spent a few days in Newark with friends this week.

Rev. Mr. McDaniel is assisting in the regular meeting at Appleton this week.

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FALLSBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kerr of Rocky Fork spent Saturday afternoon at J. W. Davidson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rine visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Booth Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Davis and son Tom of Martinsburg spent Sunday with the former's daughter, Mrs. Bertha Funk.

Tom Johnson and family took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Clark on Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Tarlton made Mrs. G. M. Holmes a pleasant call Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Davidson visited relatives at Rocky Fork Sunday.

Mrs. Priscilla Meek is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mary Clark visited at Oren Clark's Wednesday.

Mrs. S. F. Gilbreath and daughter, Miss Minnie, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. James Gaunt.

W. H. Booth spent Monday in Newark.

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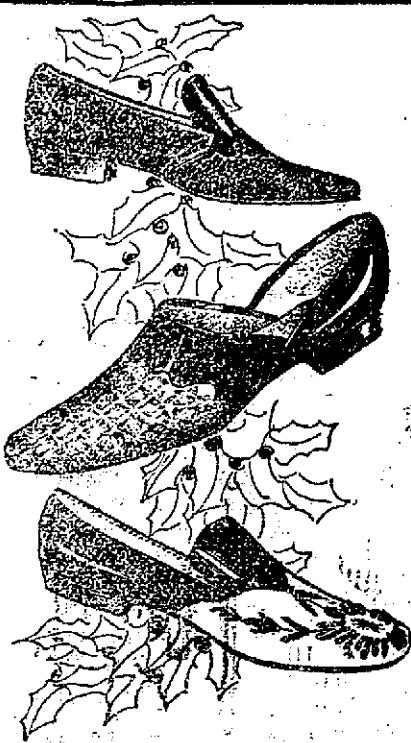
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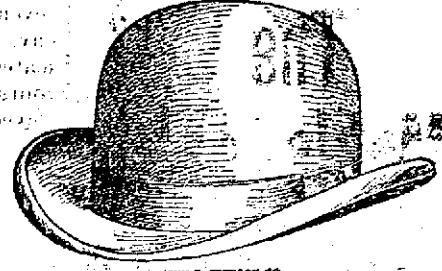
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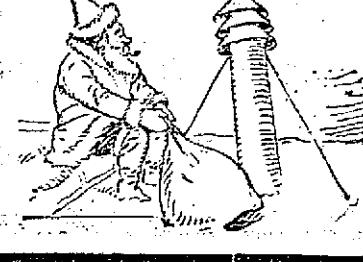
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LICKING.

The ladies church circle met at the
parsonage this week and filled a barrel
with clothing to send to a mission-
ary in the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ruffner, who
have both been sick recently, are able
to be out again. Little Mary has also
been sorely afflicted with asthma, but
is much improved.

After an absence in Jefferson coun-
ty for two weeks, Pastor McCall re-
turned last Saturday and preached at
Licking and Union last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McCarty have
the sympathies of the entire communi-
ty in the death of their son, Otto, who
died last Friday morning of lung trouble.
He was an operator on the B. and O. at Big Walnut and had a good
position. He came home election day
and took to his bed and went down
very fast in spite of the best medical
skill. He was to have been married
Christmas. His fiancee, Miss Nosker
of Zanesville has the sympathy of a
large circle of friends.

The social at the hospitable home of
Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Buckland, given
by the Woman's circle of Licking
church, was a very pleasant and pro-
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TOBOSO.

Mr. and Mrs. George Irwin of War-
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here.

Mr. David Warner of Boston, Mass.,
is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary War-
ner and other relatives here.

Mrs. Sarah Cheek visited at Mrs.
Sarah Crawford's Tuesday.

Mrs. Delilah Lescalle and daughter
Ora, spent Sunday with James
Brown and family of Brownsville.

Miss Ida Cheek spent Saturday
night and Sunday with her cousin,
Mrs. Laura Brill of Newark.

Mr. Cary Davis spent Saturday and
Sunday at his home in Rocky Fork.
Miss Grace Lehman of Newark is
visiting at her home there.

Mr. Scott Rodman has bought Mrs.
Martha Rodman's farm and will move
there in the spring. Mrs. Rodman
will make her future home with her
daughter, Mrs. A. C. Sprague at Mil-
ford.

Miss Agnes Brill attended church at
this place Sunday night.

MRS. CARTER TOO COLD

So Called Theatrical Syndicate Puts
Up Defense—Want Books
Shown.

New York, Dec. 21.—Julius Cahn, a
member of the so-called theatrical
syndicate, declares that it was be-
cause Mrs. Leslie Carter was "too
cold for us" that the combination re-
fused to book the actress in certain
cities. Mr. Cahn's statement was
made at the hearing on the legal
proceedings by which several inde-
pendent theatrical managers are seek-
ing to force members of the so-called
theatrical syndicate to produce their
business accounts and records in
court. Mr. Cahn is booking agent for
Charles Frohman. He was asked:

"Why did you refuse to book Mrs.
Leslie Carter in certain cities?"

"Because the last time we booked
her in those cities we lost money,"
replied Mr. Cahn. "She was too cold
for us," he added.

Dr. Edward L. Bloom of the Cahn
& Grant circuit, said the reason Mrs.
Carter and other Belasco attractions
were not booked was because when-
ever Belasco offered a good show the
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BLACK RUN R. F. D. NO. 18.

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Mr. and Mrs. Zariah Green and
granddaughter, Miss Lena Melick, called
on Mr. Walter B. Clark and son
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Burk and son
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REFORM.

Mrs. Jane Porter and Miss Debbie
Ashcraft spent Wednesday evening
with Mr. Alex Baughman and family.

Mr. Charley Hanby and Emma
McGinnis were guests at Mr. Jacob
Hanby's Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Myers of Fallsburg called on
Mr. John Gardner Sunday.

Miss Bessie Hanby spent Sunday
with Miss Lizzie Miller of Rocky
Fork.

Mr. Hiram Rector made a business
trip to Newark Saturday.

Miss Debbie Ashcraft spent Thursday
evening with Miss Julia Claggett.

Miss Stella Baughman was the
guest of her brother, Homer, Tues-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pound spent
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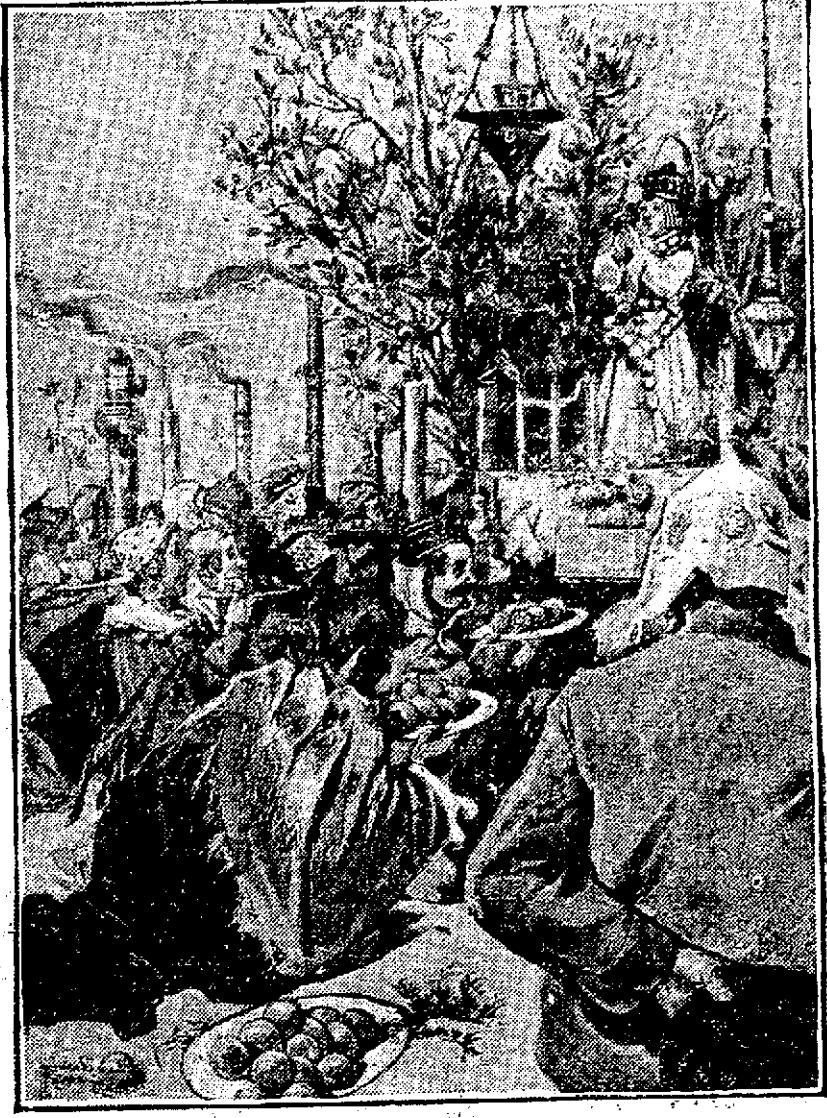
Miss Julia Claggett spent Sunday
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Mr. and Mrs

CHRISTMAS IN THE VAL DI ROSE

By WALTON WILLIAMS

In medieval times, when learning was rare and confined mostly to the regular clergy living in monastic communities, it became the fashion to illustrate the gospel narratives by means of more or less realistic dramatic representation. This method of instructing the unlettered was borrowed from the old heathen mysteries, and the monks and nuns who devised the pious scheme made every effort to impart a reverential un-



THE OFFERING IN THE VAL DI ROSE.

derstanding of the subject illustrated. This is the origin of the mystery or miracle plays and also of the sacred tableaux vivants which in time were enacted in the rural churches. These living pictures always illustrated some Biblical subject and were probably of great spiritual benefit to those who could not read.

It was thus that the great features of the Christian religion were made intelligible to the public. The practice began early in the tenth century and grew in favor for at least 200 years. In the thirteenth century, however, the custom had become so subject to abuse that the clergy began to frown

upon it, and finally they prohibited all forms of Biblical representation in the churches.

In time most of the Easter mystery pictures disappeared from the churches, but many of the Christmas illustrations had acquired such a firm hold upon the popular heart that they remained and have been brought down to the present day in a somewhat modified form. Such is the "Bambino," which is seen today in all parts of the Christian world and which has come to possess almost a ritualistic significance.

Another Christmas mystery which still survives, although its perpetuation is confined to a limited region, is the quaint and decidedly impressive Christmas ceremonial known as "the offering." This custom has been repeated for centuries on Christmas day in the churches of the Italian highlands. It is illustrative of the visit of the magi

O MISTLETOE

By NINA PICTON

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THREE times she passed beneath
the mistletoe,
With face so arch and eye of blue,
And I, distraught, what could I do?
Rank coward—I turned round
and let her go.
O mistletoe!

From every nook and corner
blazed the light;
Eyes gleamed like stars in
matchless ray,
Yet ne'er an eye of black or gray
Shone full and soft as hers that
old year night.
O wondrous light!

Each one waxed bold as forth she
came again,
And o'er her golden hair the
bough
Of witchery hung. My hour
came now.
I caught and kissed her like a man
insane.
O happy swain!

She neither screamed nor smiled
nor chid me then.
But brushed her cheek like
thistledown.

And then a tiny, childish frown
Came 'twixt her brows. "Atlast!"
cried she. "Oh, Ben,
Slowest of men!"

No ear but mine heard that impious blame.
The crowd had passed. We
twain stood there
In perfect bliss, without a care,
And o'er and o'er I breathed her
perfumed name—
O Rose afame!



I caught and kissed her.

GRIMKEE AND THE ARK OF NOAH

A CHRISTMAS STORY
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LITTLE JINNIE stood before Old Grimkee's window. The dark plates and bronzes, the somber stuffs and hangings, had disappeared. Grimkee's window was in holiday attire, and Little Jinnie wondered why. Some one had spoken of a day far distant, a day of mirth and gladness, of good will and peace; that the joy bells would ring, the music in the churches would sound and that every one would smile and greet one another as if great times had come.

Little Jinnie bent forward and leaned her elbows upon the narrow ledge that jutted out from the window. What a feast she saw! A tall soldier, all red and gold, stood in one corner, his musket at "shoulder arms," determination in his eye and in his rigid at-



AN OLD MAN CAME OUT OF THE SHOP.

itude. Little Jinnie started to say "Good morning," but she didn't quite like his manner.

Below him seated on a dairy stool, was a milkmaid with a churn, and the wonderful dasher kept going up and down at regular intervals, and the milkmaid's head kept bobbing and bobbing till the white linen bows on her cap flapped like windmills.

A shepherd boy stood next to the milkmaid, and in his mouth was a long pipe or musical instrument. From time to time a loud note rang out. What queer toys! Little Jinnie almost believed that they were not toys, for the faces looked so real, and they moved and bobbed like real live people. But Grimkee always had queer things in his window, different from any other shopkeeper in Broad street.

There stood a clock with a cuckoo that flew in and out and chirruped its note at certain intervals. And the wax doll in the corner, with a queen's crown on her head and a crimson velvet robe! That was the most real doll Little Jinnie had ever seen.

While she stood there, her small, thin hands and arms on the ledge, her wistful eyes peering within, an old man came out from the side of the shop and thrust his head into the window. It was Old Grimkee, and he wore a fusition jacket, very snug and tight, and a queer little skullcap on his head. He looked about as if in quest of something, and his round little eyes squinted here and there as if everything was a long way off.

Little Jinnie did not move, and if Old Grimkee saw her he was kind enough not to object, for he never once looked toward her, but kept squinting and moving until he saw a long, narrow house, painted green, with a small peak, which stood in the center of his window.

"Ah!" he cried, and from outside Jinnie heard his grunt of satisfaction. He moved toward the green house. In his hand he held a key, and, after fumbling and feeling about the side of the structure, he turned it about. Then he waited for something. Jinnie didn't know what, but she stared, fascinated by the old man's movements and waiting, just as much as he waited, for the revelation that she felt sure was to come.

The door of the house opened. A pair of elephants walked out, then a couple of bears and two spirited looking horses. After that trooped all the animals that Little Jinnie had ever seen in her picture book, the old, thumb-sore one that the mission teacher had given her. Round and round they walked, and larger and larger grew Little Jinnie's eyes.

Old Grimkee looked up. He was proud of his window, for he had taken great pains to make it attractive. Not another man in Broad street knew the children's tastes so well. All about the shelves of his little shop stood Santa Clauses, railroad cars, tin soldiers and small guns and dolls that the little ones liked. Old Grimkee had been in the business for years, and he expected great profits this Christmas time.

Suddenly he spied Little Jinnie. He did not know whether she was admiring him or his window, for her eyes kept shifting from the long green toys to him, back again, and so on. A general smile overspread the face of Old Grimkee. The little child outside was

certainly carried away with what she saw. Old Grimkee looked closer. How thin and pale she was, and quite a little tot to be alone!

The old man kept smiling and smiling, as if he knew her, and Little Jinnie advanced toward the door. Old Grimkee had left his window and stood behind the counter.

"Well, little girl, what can I do for you?" he asked, bending over the counter toward the wee figure that looked appealingly upward.

"If you would tell!" she paused.

"Yes," said Old Grimkee.

"What that thing is—that house in your window. Are the animals alive?"

"That's that green house?" asked Old Grimkee, leaning forward to take a peep at the window.

"Yes, sir," answered Little Jinnie.

"Why, you don't mean to tell me that you never saw a Noah's ark, child?"

Little Jinnie looked as ignorant as an infant.

"No? Why, then, you've never heard the story of the flood and Noah and the ark resting on Ararat? Dear me, dear me!" Old Grimkee actually looked worried over the turn of affairs. He thought everybody knew that.

Just then some customers came in, and Old Grimkee put on a businesslike air.

The child stole noiselessly out. Old Grimkee did not hear her, for the ladies were asking him for hummimg tops, and he was not quite sure whether he had them. He turned several things over as he looked and opened the wrong boxes and packages. Old Grimkee's eyes were failing him a bit. And as he looked a pair of wistful eyes, blue and heavily lashed, haunted him. While looking he was wondering where he had seen them.

"Bless me!" he cried suddenly. "That chid!"

The customers looked queerly at him, but he had found their toys, and as they examined them and approved them they did not pause to mark the puzzled glances of the shopkeeper.

Little Jinnie was unhappy. In her small, meager home she felt the need of something. If she had been older she might have known.

"Land o' love," the mother cried, "the chid's a-worrin' over sumthin'! She's the thinnest an' palest as ter be or shad'der." The poor woman paused in her daily task of sewing and looked uneasily at the small thin one that played beside her.

Every morning the child had strayed out on the next block. The mother had watched her and felt no uneasiness. Whenever she looked in that direction she saw Little Jinnie standing against a window, looking in with all her eyes. "Bless me!" exclaimed the mother. "What is it now?"

And Old Grimkee had seen and heard, for Little Jinnie came in every day for a moment, and between times, when nobody was buying, Old Grimkee took her on his knee and told her the wonderful story of the flood. And questions had been asked and the Christmas time commented on, and Little Jinnie's eyes were wonderstruck.

"Where do you live?" he asked. Old Grimkee had no children of his own. His son had died a year before.

"Down there, near the alley, in the very little house with red windows."

It was nearing the time. For three or four days a fine snow had fallen,

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RED ROSES

By FRANK S. HARRIS

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Harrington dropped into a chair by the open window, threw his feet into another chair and lit a cigar impatiently. He had come to the village for its isolation, had chosen this particular house for its embowering roses, and now, after only seven days the adjoining house was to have a boarder too.

He pushed aside the clustering vines and looked out. The entire end of the house was covered with clambering roses, there were patches and pyramids and trailing sprays of them in the yard, and what had once been a tottering, fine broken picket fence between the two houses was now a bank of red roses. Harrington's eyes softened appreciatively. It was a charming spot after the season at that Muha coast resort, with its buffeting of wind and waves and after the—the—

His face again grew hard, and unconsciously his hand rose to the curtain above his head, but it only encountered the cheap lace, and he looked up quickly. A step sounded at the door, and his landlady's little daughter came in to tidy the room.

"Where is the—er—bit of ribbon that hung here, Janie?" he asked.

The child came forward quickly.

"Why, it was right here on the curtain when I brought up the lamp last night," she answered. "I looked at it and thought what a pretty neck ribbon it would make. And 'twas all silk. Maybe you didn't have it planned on good and the wind blew it out. Shall I go down in the yard and look?"

"No; I was just going down myself." And he rose and stepped toward the door.

"Was it valuable?" Janie asked, with much concern in her voice.

"Yes, very—or, no, not in that way. But it was a keepsake, you know."

"Did your sweetheart give it to you?" the child went on, adding quickly,



A TAPERING WHITE HAND ROSE TOWARD THE NEST.

It, "I thought maybe she did, because the second day you were here, when it rained and you got so lonesome, you pinned it on the curtain, and you've kept it there and looked at it kind of hungry, like sweethearts do, ever since."

Harrington had turned red. Now he laughed constrainedly.

"No, I haven't any sweetheart, Janie. It's only just a bit of ribbon. You see"—desperately, as her eyes still questioned him—"I was up on the Maine coast last season, and there was a girl—just an acquaintance, you know—and we went boating together and played golf and things. The ribbon must have got among my traps some way. When I was unpacking that rainy day I happened to run across it and pinned it on the curtain. You see, it matches the roses so nicely."

"And you love her, and she loves you," Janie said rapturously, "and that ribbon's the token. I'd just like to see her! Where is she now, and what's her name?"

"I don't know where she is"—gruffly—"in Europe, I suspect, though. She spoke about going there last year. And her name is Margaret. I came out here for the quiet and the trout fishing and the roses. I like roses. But you are wholly mistaken about my—her loving me."

"And it'll come out all right in the end and be happy." Janie continued joyously and ignoring him. "It's just too lovely for anything! And the ribbon will be the link. Was her piecemeal just like yours?"

"Why, I—I—helplessly. What do you mean?"

"Her piece of ribbon," impatiently. "What is the use to act so ignorant. The ribbon was wrinkled, like it had been dropped in water and then dried in somebody's pocket, and one end was ragged and snipped off. That's where 'was ent. Anybody could see it wasn't snipped off with scissors. Was her piecemeal long as yours?"

"I—I suppose so. Now you speak of it. I do remember the ribbon dropped into the water while we were out boating, and I fished it out, but, and—" "Chopped it in two with your knife," triumphantly.

"Y—es."

"And yet put yours next your heart,

and Margaret pretended to nod her carelessly in her hand, then slipped it away, and"—

But Harrington had dodged from the room, and she could hear him going down the stairs two or three at a time.

At the corner of the house he glanced up apprehensively toward his window, but Janie was not there. He could hear her broom already vigorously at work and her voice humming joyous little snatches of song. A few moments of apprehensive scrutiny and then he stole forward and searched the grass under his window, but the ribbon was not there, nor clinging to the vines above.

The next house was almost concealed by the foliage of apple trees. One of these dropped low branches over the rose draped fence, forming an effectual shade and screen. It was Harrington's favorite place to read, and he went there now.

But he was in no mood for reading, and the magazine lay with open pages on his knees, while his gaze went thoughtfully into the foliage above. A few moments and then he started suddenly and rose to his feet. Directly over the rose hedge was a pendent vireo's nest. He had seen it several times before, but now on one side was a bright spot which a closer examination disclosed as his ribbon, deftly woven into the straw and moss. The mother vireo was the thief.

"Oh, what a pretty nest!" came in a clear, familiar voice from the other side of the hedge. "And look at that piece of ribbon! Isn't it cute? It's almost like—" A tapering white hand rose toward the nest, and Harrington dropped back upon the grass. "Why," a trace of wondering incredulity in the voice, "it seems exactly like—I must go in and get mine and see."

The hand disappeared, and Harrington could hear light footsteps hurrying away. A few moments later they returned, and the hand rose again toward the low nest, this time holding a piece of ribbon, which was held beside the other, with the ragged ends together.

"It is—it is the ribbon!" a tremulous voice gasped.

"Margaret!" Harrington called softly as he rose from the grass.

There were a few seconds of silence, then:

"Oh, Tom—Mr. Harrington, I mean—I don't understand. Won't you come over here and explain?"

An Old Time Fire Department.
In the eighteenth century, when English cities had no systematic arrangements for putting out fires, the city of Lisbon boasted of a fire department which was the admiration of travelers. The water which the people of Lisbon used was brought and sold to them by watermen, who carried it on their backs in barrels. These watermen were divided into wards, each member of whom took command of the rest in rotation.

Every man was obliged by the city ordinances to carry his barrel home full of water every night, and in case of fire the waterman who had command went around routing out of bed all his fellows, who then picked up their water barrels and ran to the fire.

This sort of a fire department would now be regarded as extremely slow, but the Lisbon houses were all built of stone or brick and burned so slowly, if they took fire at all, that the barrel brigade really had time to assemble before much harm had been done.

An English sailor who happened to see a fire in Lisbon was disgusted at the very slow progress that the conflagration made.

"A fig for such a fire!" he exclaimed. "There's no spirit in this country. Why, in England we should have had a dozen houses burned down by this time!"

Hang or Marry.

In the feudal days of Scotland, when noblemen thought it no disgrace to steal their neighbors' cattle, a baron protected his vassals from the aristocratic cattle lifter by hanging outright those taken red handed without waiting for the slow process of the law.

When Sir William Scott was a young border laird he made one night a foray on Sir Gideon Murray's lands. While driving off a herd of cattle he was caught and, being brought before Sir Gideon, ordered to be hanged. Hanging a cattle thief was such an everyday affair that Sir Gideon went about his ordinary business. But his wife, hearing that handsome youth of a good family was to be executed, sought her husband and indignantly exclaimed:

"Hoot, Gideon, what do I hear? You tak' the life of the winsome young

laird of Harden wi' three ill-favored lasses in the house o' yer ain to marry?"

"Ye're rechit, Maggie, my dear," replied the baron, grasping the situation. "Wheile shall tak' our muckle mowd Meg, or else he'll stretch for it?"

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Mr. Milton Handley spent Friday and Saturday with friends in Newark.

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WIDOW OF FORMER ENGINEER
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\$10,000 SUIT.

Newark Man Was Killed Near Mansfield on Nov. 4, 1904—Suit at Mt. Vernon.

Mt. Vernon, O., Dec. 21—Mary Odenthal, administratrix of Otto Odenthal, who was a B. & O. engineer living on East Main street, Newark, has commenced a suit in the court of Common Pleas of Knox county against the Baltimore and Ohio railroad company and Claude Van Blarcum, in which she asks for damages in the sum of \$10,000. The plaintiff states that her husband, Otto Odenthal, was an engineer on the B. & O. railroad and that he lost his life in a wreck near Mansfield, through the negligence of the company. The wreck is alleged to have been caused by a tire coming off his engine and the petition alleges that Claude Van Blarcum is an employee of the company, and that it was his duty to see that the tire was properly placed on the wheel of the locomotive. C. M. Cist, E. W. Cist and Frank V. Owen are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

Otto Odenthal, a B. & O. engineer, was killed about 2 miles west of Mansfield on the evening of November 4, 1904. He was in the second engine of a double header when the tank of the first engine hit a switch point and was derailed. This derailed the second engine and it was over-turned. The unfortunate engineer was instantly killed.

Your eyes will see the handsomest Neckwear in the city at Geo. Hermann's. 19-2t

TREMENDOUS

Will be the Result of Investigation of Life Insurance Companies Now in Progress.

What is the policy holder going to get out of it?" inquires the Philadelphia Enquirer. "Is there going to be any material benefit in the present, any safeguard for the future, to the countless thousands of men and women who have paid their money into the big insurance companies as a result of the legislative investigation and the startling revelations that have been dragged from the lips of unwilling witnesses?"

These questions the Inquirer put to the man best able to answer them—Charles E. Hughes, the lawyer whose relentless and almost wizard-like questioning has unmasked a state of affairs that has stirred the financial and political world to a constant foment of explanations—that do not always explain.

"While it would not be proper to forecast the report of the committee, which will shortly be prepared for presentation, I can safely predict that the result will be of incalculable benefit to the policy holder."

"We hope the ultimate result will be constructive. The exhibition of abuses has only been a step. It was necessary to exhibit them in order to correct them. The work of the committee has not been a destructive, but a constructive, one. It will be destructive of the abuses."

"It has not hit at the insurance. It has merely exposed the abuses that have grown up in life insurance, to

the end that they might be corrected for all time to come."

"Has sufficient public sentiment been aroused to insure the passage of corrective legislation?"

"The effect has been tremendous, not only here, but all over the world. We have really done something to awaken the conscience of the American people. Entirely apart from legislation, we have aroused a spirit that seems to give hope that the American people have come into their own. In the future they will demand better standards in both our financial and political affairs."

Mr. Hughes paused.

"I do not want to appear oracular, and I would prefer others to speak," he added, "but I may say I have been impressed with the letters that are pouring in from all over the Union. They all show that the American people demand that corporate business shall hereafter be conducted squarely and with a clean balance sheet."

"It does not make any difference how men cloak themselves, what their wealth or position may be, the people now demand that they show a clean set of books. The people who in the future achieve what we call success must show clean hands and methods that will stand investigation."

"Frankly, I believe new ideals have been created, and the American people are coming into their own."

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ROCK RUN.

Mrs. William Gregg and daughter, Miss Densy, spent Tuesday night with relatives in Frazeysburg.

Mr. Ed Divan of Pleasant Valley, called at George Morrow's Monday.

Miss Nora Hobbs of St. Louisville R. F. D. No. 1, visited from Friday until Monday with her cousin, Miss Daisy Gregg, of this place.

Mr. Wilson of Purity passed through here Monday.

Mr. Fred Patton of Frazeysburg, called on Miss Alice Frost of this place Sunday evening.

Desso Pipes spent from Saturday until Monday with Mr. Russell Wolfe and family, of New Guilford.

Mr. Arthur Morrow and sister Miss Delta, of Meadow View, Miss Nora Hobbs and Mr. J. C. Gregg were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. William Gregg Saturday evening.

Miss Jessie Little who has spent several days with her brother of New Guilford, has returned home.

Mrs. F. M. Frost and Mrs. A. J. Little called on Mrs. Jane Mercer on Monday.

Arthur Morrow and George Pipes are engaged in baling hay for Mr. Desso Colville of Forest Glenn this week.

See King's big ad. 18-6t

BLADENSBURG.

Dr. N. H. Hull was in Gambier on Wednesday.

There will be a Christmas tree and entertainment for the pupils of the schools Saturday evening, December 23, at the Presbyterian church. Admission 10 cents.

Protracted meeting is still in progress at the Disciple church.

Mollie A. Horn who has been quite ill is now recovering.

Perry Harris and daughter Mabel were in Mt. Vernon Wednesday.

PIANOS

I have a few second hand pianos left, only slightly used. They can be bought at greatly reduced prices on easy terms. If you are seeking bargains, don't fail to come to A. L. Rawlings, No. 4 North Park Place. 12-21-2t

**CONWELL LECTURE
AT GRANVILLE**

THE JOLLY EARTHQUAKE WAS UNUSUAL THEME OF THE SPEAKER.

Audience Delighted With Humor and Pathos of the Lecture—Granville News Items.

Granville, Dec. 21.—In spite of the bad weather an unusually large number of people composed the audience of the lecture on Wednesday evening by Rev. Russel H. Conwell of Philadelphia.

The subject of Mr. Conwell's most interesting lecture was "The Jolly Earthquake."

The theme chosen

occurred at Oshima, Japan in the early

part of the seventeenth century.

Earthquakes are usually supposed

to do a great deal of damage and to

bring many misfortunes upon their

victims, but this jolly earthquake

which struck Oshima proved a happy

exception. According to the tradition

quoted by Mr. Conwell, among the violent eruptions caused on this occasion was the so-called laughing gas,

which infected the entire atmosphere

and resulted in the making all of the

inhabitants of the country round, in

delight in hearty laughter even while

the earthquake shook the very ground

they stood on, and thus the situation

instead of appearing serious and perilous, appeared comical.

Mr. Conwell cited a number of hu-

merous incidents in connection with

his relation of the tradition of this

strange earthquake which were a

source of much amusement to the au-

dience. But there was a deeper sig-

nificance observed in the incident by

Mr. Conwell than may have been ex-

pected. The earthquake with its ex-

citement of involuntary mirth proved

in the end a great blessing instead

of a disaster. Great masses of land

were jumbled together, and finally

settled down into fertile fields, thus

enriching and adding to the territory

of Oshima and rendering it of much

more value. Thus Mr. Conwell very

fittingly applied this principle to life.

How great a thing it is to be able to

laugh in the face of misfortune!

He related numerous incidents where

calamities had been avoided by such a

seemingly trivial thing as laughter.

The mind, depressed almost to the

point of insanity, has in several in-

stances been restored to its healthy

condition by the ability of its posse-

sor to laugh sincerely and heartily.

Laughing should be recognized as one

of the greatest gifts of God to man,

distinguishing him from the lower

animals, and should be indulged in,

as a promoter of life, prosperity and

happiness to the greatest possible de-

gree. All who heard Mr. Conwell's

lecture were impressed alike by the

humor and pathos which he ex-

pressed and were thoroughly delight-

ed with his discourse on "The Jolly

Earthquake."

On Tuesday evening Mr. Will Lewis

entertained his Sigma Chi brothers

with a dinner party in honor of Mr.

Leslie Snyder, who will not return to

Denison after the holidays.

The Beta Alpha Deltas are wearing

the blue and black, having pledged to

their number Mr. Harry Pine.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

Mr. Jacob Loughman was given a

pleasant surprise when about 80 of

his friends and neighbors called on

him at his home in Honeywell town-

ship to assist him in celebrating the

56th anniversary of his birth. The

evening was spent in music and

games of various kinds, and a nice supper was partaken of. After the supper Mr. Loughman was presented with a handsome Morris chair by his friends. Also his Sunday school class presented him with a Bible. Those present were:

Dr. and Mrs. Postal and son Win-

dall, Mr. and Mrs. Nethers, Mr. and

Mrs. Henry Loughman and daughter

Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Fairall, Emanuel

Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Skinner, Mr. and

Mrs. B. V. Weakley, Mr. and Mrs.

Lillard and daughter Mabel, Mr.

and Mrs. Weakley and daughter Ver-

onica, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison, Mr. J.

S. Loughman, Mr. and Mrs. Drumm

and son George, Mr. and Mrs. Carl

and Mrs. Postal and son Win-

dall, Mr. and Mrs. Hazeliett, Mr.

and Mrs. Fluhart and son, Mrs. H.

M. McCracken, Mrs. Brown of Kan-

sas, Misses Bessie and Eva Lehman,

Pearl and Glen Phillips, Jennie and

Ira Mason, May Shaw, Lulu Bradley,

Alma Krager, Cora Skinner, Allie

Drumm, Malvina Myres, Grace Lillard,

Ella, Meeda and Lucy Tanner,

Lizzie and Verta McCracken, Bessie

and Ira Weakley, Nellie Loughman,

Dessie Sensabaugh, Stella Fluhart,

Florence McCracken, Messrs. Clyde

Phillips, Bert Inlow, Ira Inlow, Or-